

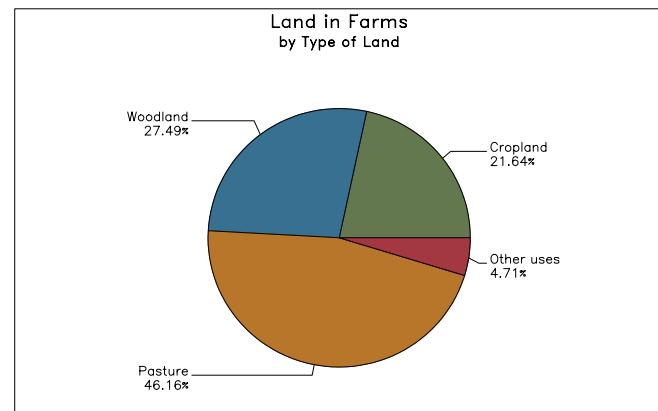
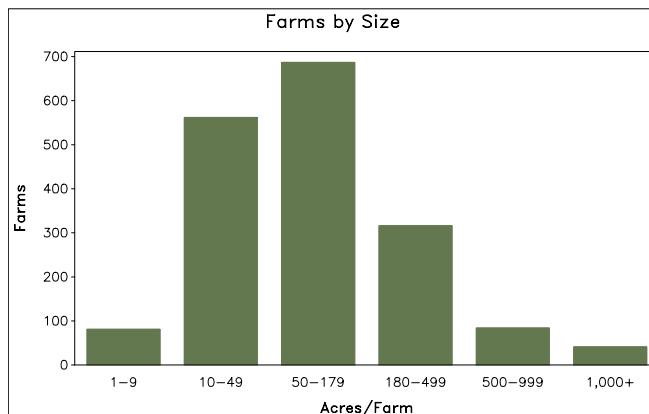
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## County Profile

### Anderson, Texas



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	1,771	1,735	+ 2
<b>Land in Farms</b>	346,142 acres	365,182 acres	- 5
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	195 acres	210 acres	- 7
 <b>Market Value of Production</b>	 \$39,361,000	 \$23,063,000	 + 71
Crop Sales \$12,885,000 (33 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$26,475,000 (67 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	<b>\$22,225</b>	<b>\$13,293</b>	<b>+ 67</b>
 <b>Government Payments</b>	 \$172,000	 \$205,000	 - 16
Average Per Farm	\$3,311	\$6,202	- 47



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Ranked items among the 254 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	39,361	135	254	1,779	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	12,885	117	253	1,725	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	26,475	100	254	1,294	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	9	223	244	2,759	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	161	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	856	50	199	862	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	229	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	176	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	54	31	80	580	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	252	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	267	62	240	1,207	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	254	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	158	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	235	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	93	118	252	1,158	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	507	59	253	485	3,024
Aquaculture	(-)	(-)	101	(-)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	208	68	232	676	2,875
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	59,917	72	254	428	3,060
Layers	13,079	41	246	690	3,024
Hogs and pigs	(D)	6	244	(D)	2,958
Horses and ponies	3,283	36	254	213	3,066
Goats, All	1,980	101	252	294	3,023
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	42,509	40	253	406	3,060
Short-rotation woody crops	1,781	2	87	16	1,134
Pecans, all	(D)	72	231	(D)	1,315
Nursery stock	(D)	19	133	(D)	2,130
Cotton, all <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	161	(D)	627

### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	536
\$1,000 to \$2,499	253
\$2,500 to \$4,999	223
\$5,000 to \$9,999	256
\$10,000 to \$19,999	204
\$20,000 to \$24,999	65
\$25,000 to \$39,999	98
\$40,000 to \$49,999	41
\$50,000 to \$99,999	60
\$100,000 to \$249,999	17
\$250,000 to \$499,999	12
\$500,000 or more	6
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	42,671
Average per farm (\$)	24,094
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,323
Average per farm (\$)	-747

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	653
Other	1,118
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	1,566
Female	205
Average age of principal operator (years)	60.1
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	14
Asian	4
Black or African American	168
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	2,351
More than one race	40
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	59

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.